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WAR IN 5 YEARS WITH WEAK ARMY, LODGE INSISTS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—A powerful American army was within five years—certainly within ten—was the warning of Senator Lodge of the United States, in a speech at the Naval War College, speaking for a big navy as a "guarantee of peace" and building cost.

"For the peace of the country and therefore for the peace of the world," declared the Senator, "a powerful American army is the general condition of human affairs. It is absolutely essential. No extraneous thing can be considered as equal of countering by reducing the navy."

Referring to the fact that the United States already had dropped from second to third place among naval powers, Senator Lodge asserted that the annual authorization of \$100,000,000 for the navy should never fall below ten.

That the United States should be at peace with all nations and should exert its great influence for the maintenance of the world's peace is a noble condition of our peace rests upon the navy of the United States. While we have a powerful navy on sea, we will attack, and we shall be able to use our influence in the cause of peace everywhere.

Finicky Appetites Put in Order

You Can Sit Right Down and Eat Anything Served if You Get Acquainted with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets

With a most pathetic sign the dyspeptic sits down and "views with alarm" his hungry companions. Now, the best medicine for most people is found out in a few minutes. It is to couple a square meal with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. The down to a good meal and out whatever is served is getting back to the good old days when bread and butter, when the family meal was a feast; and when good appetites with sound digestion produced the most of our nation what we eat.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the dyspeptic's hope. They are a natural remedy of healthy action on the stomach and small intestine, because they supply what is lacking in the weak stomach—bile, pepsin, acid and other digestive.

If you are afflicted with any symptoms of stomach trouble, be assured that your digestive organs are weak—your food does not help and there is no more sensible help to be given them than to supply elements which will do the work of digestion for them.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been found by test to have digestive power in the scale of the active principle of these tablets being sufficient to digest a whole meal of ordinary food. It is plain that no matter what the condition of your stomach, or how far your disease has progressed, one of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets taken at meal-time will do the work of your stomach and an opportunity to regain its lost power, the muscles will be strengthened, the glands invigorated, and you will be as well as ever.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, at 10 cents a box.

WIDOWS URGE PENSIONS; TELL PITIFUL TALES

Mayor Fitzgerald Says:

"I am in favor of the universal pensioning of all widows with children."

WHAT DO YOU THINK?
Send your letters to the Widow's Pension Editor, Boston AMERICAN, Boston, Mass.

By SYBIL WARNE.

Widows from all over New England have sent me letters, pleading Mayor Fitzgerald's plea for widow pensions. These letters tell the saddest of many sad hearts. They show that nothing is so hard upon a widowed mother as the effort to keep home and children together.

One widow is her letter contains: "My husband, who I have done to get into the condition of widowhood. Most I am pained by it."

One woman laments at the wasteful trying to get enough money for her nine children.

Other widows tell of the cruellest sight in sight and heart at the loss of husband and at the broken home life.

One widow has kept in Massachusetts and other States where her children were taken from her and she herself could do nothing to make her living as best as she could.

A few of these letters are heartrending. They tell of the mother who has to let the State pay the mother to keep their children in their homes. They tell of the mother who has to let the State pay for their support among other children, and the husband of the Massachusetts.

Husband Was Slain.

Here are a few of these letters:

Editor AMERICAN:
I think Mayor Fitzgerald is right. Poor widows should have more protection. I myself am a widow. My husband was killed at his work a little while ago. I am now in a terrible situation.

I am left with nothing to care for my children. So I am now in a terrible situation. I want to keep my children, but I am not able to do so.

My dear Mrs. Mayor Fitzgerald:
I never forgets those in need. I do not know all mine and home. My life is a chain of happiness. Truly yours, M. C. C.

A Country Widow.

Editor AMERICAN:

I agree with Mayor Fitzgerald about widow pensions. When Mrs. Tilton said that the widows in the country are the most pitiful, I am sure that she is right, but often the children are neglected in the country, left alone while their

ANTI-PROFANITY LEAGUE DOUGHT TO GET AFTER PARROTS AND CATS

Scientists have calculated the swearing ability and frequency of men of various professions. Swearers are the worst of swears, say the experts.—News Item.



Did you know about the parrot-cat? That makes an awful fuss. It's a parrot-cat. And swear, and end and end!



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Jessie Wilson Will Plead for Working Women in Delaware

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 14.—Miss Jessie Wilson, daughter of the President-elect, will come to Wilmington tomorrow night to add to the fight which is being waged in Delaware for the betterment of working conditions for women.

She will deliver an address supporting the bill pending in the Legislature to limit the working day for women to ten hours.

Miss Wilson will address a public meeting under the auspices of the Delaware Federation of Women's Clubs.

The President-elect's daughter is reported to have great regard for the members of the State Legislature. The speaking program is being supported by some of the manufacturing interests and Miss Wilson is expected to come to the Legislature tomorrow night.

In Sunday's AMERICAN.

ROOSEVELT SETTLES TIGER QUESTION

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Theodore Roosevelt has settled a controversy in the Franklin Public School. Principal Webster told the boys that the tiger "grow" in Africa. They would not believe him and wrote to Mr. Roosevelt, who replied:

"There is not and never has been a single wild tiger in all Africa."

What Makes
Unhappy Marriages?

Dr. William Le Howard, the eminent medical authority, explains how the family physician can help in the cases of divorces and divorces.

Exclusively
In Sunday's AMERICAN.

WAITERS' UNION TO ERECT BUILDING

Boston Waiters' Union to erect a building for the erection of a building for its own use and for the entertainment of waiters, waiting, Boston.

DR. F. H. COHAN DIES.
LEONISTON, Feb. 14.—Dr. Francis H. Cohan, while returning from New York with his wife, was stricken on the train was passing through Connecticut and died in half an hour.

Special Notice.

WEAR HUB-MARK RUBBERS
THIS WINTER

Hub-Mark is Your Value-Mark.

ASK ANY DEALER FOR THEM

MARRY ME, ANNIE

And I'll be the king of the original and only thing. See our Milkman 8-Day Alarm Clock.

Regular \$3.00
Eggs or Spectacles for \$1.00

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WILSON BROTHERS, SULLY ST.

You are the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

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Hundreds of
Other Bargain Lots
for Men, Women
and Children.

Automatic Bargain
Basement

An Overcoat Maker was just getting ready to pack these Greatcoats away for next year—

"for," he argued, "these styles are not going to change, prices are going up on account of the strike and I can get more for them next September."

Then on the scene came a Filene Automatic Bargain Basement buyer. Now, one of the little reasons why this Basement Store gets goods at prices so very low is having the money ready to pay at once.

So the maker decided that one overcoat turned into cash is worth two packed away in camphor and we came away with the coats, having bought them for about the "two for one" ratio.

The occasion gives us an opportunity to introduce the Automatic Bargain Basement to several hundred NEW friends. It also gives us an opportunity to show at one stroke what the Automatic Bargain Basement can do when it comes to saving Boston men dollars.

ULSTERS

N. B.—If we could advertise the maker's name it would be unnecessary to quote the value. Three-fourths of the coats in this lot are worth \$20 and \$25. Also in the lot are about 40 regulation Oxford gray, melton, velvet collar overcoats.

Worth \$16.50
\$20, \$25
\$28

Velours
Cheviots

Rough Fabrics
Scotch Weaves

Mixtures
Meltons

THESE overcoats are fashioned after English style, but MADE IN AMERICA. Have natural shoulders, wide sweep of skirt, deep rich velvet collar and sleeve linings, in plain and inivible plain effects, single or double breasted, plaid backs, convertible collars. Oxford grays, browns and dark mixtures, and PRICES AS LOW AS THE TEMPERATURE when this was written.

Large Surplus Stock of
New Coat Sweaters

Pure worsted or wool, in Oxfords, Cardinals, Havana, Brown and Navy. "V" neck and Ruff neck styles. Cardigan and Shaker knit. Just arrived from Philadelphia and

Every Sweater-Coat New, Clean and Fresh

For Men and Boys
SWEATERS WORTH \$3

\$1.50
For Men
SWEATERS WORTH \$3.50 to \$5

\$2.50
For Men
SWEATERS WORTH \$3 to \$5

\$3.50

Filene's Automatic Bargain Basement

Catarrh and
Cold in Head

Can be relieved quick. Get a 25 or 50 cent tube of sanitary

KONDO'S
Catarrhal Jelly

The first drop used will do good. Money back if it doesn't. Sample free if you write.

KONDY & MFG. CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

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Here They Are!

Just a few of these Practical Economies that are stepping stones in the fulfilment of our reputation as "The Store of the People."

Boys' Combination Suits at \$2.25

The wearing of two suits for one extra cost. The boys' combination suits are the best of the kind. They are made of the best material and are very comfortable. They are also very stylish and are very popular with the boys.

Our Famous H. & D. Suits

These suits are made of the best material and are very comfortable. They are also very stylish and are very popular with the boys.

Boys' 86c Cheviot and Serge Knickers

Made in all sizes from 5 to 10 years. Made of the best material and are very comfortable. They are also very stylish and are very popular with the boys.

Boys' Famous H. & D. Suits

Like the popular boys' famous suits, these suits are made of the best material and are very comfortable. They are also very stylish and are very popular with the boys.

Two Great Suits for Girls

These suits are made of the best material and are very comfortable. They are also very stylish and are very popular with the girls.

Special Sale of Girls' and Boys' School Shoes

Assorted styles and leathers, values up to \$1.50. Girls' sizes 1 to 6. Boys' sizes 1 to 6.5. Choice \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Bargain Sale of Rubbers at About One-Half the Usual Prices

One thousand pairs for sale at 49c

Three thousand pairs for sale at 39c

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DORN SEVEN TO
PLAY THREE RIVERS
AT ARENA TONIGHT

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTING NEWS

HEDLUND AND KIVAT
MEET IN BAXTER
MILE SATURDAY

Bringing Up Father

By George McManus



RILEY'S COLUMN

"HOPPER has agreed to terms, Lewis appears to be ready to sign up and Speaker never signs until ready for Spring training. That takes care of the outfield."

This is Jimmy McLean's own reply to reports that the mighty Red Sox outfield team were "hold-outs" or near "hold-outs." Hopper it appears, has let the world's champion manager know that his deal contract is satisfactory, although he has not yet signed it, and the muscle at headquarters believe that Lewis is in a similar state of mind. Concerning Speaker, the "Texas Terror" has always come to terms heretofore and nothing has come from him to lead to the belief that he will not agree this year.

"SPOKE" has a habit of turning himself somewhere like a bear all winter. When the playing season ends, he beats it for Hubbard, Tex., and says no intention to letters or telegrams from anybody until warm weather approaches. Then, like a bear, he comes out of his cave, warms up and gets in touch with the world again. Nobody has ever solved this mystery of Speaker's isolation during the off-season and his Boston friends and colleagues in the game have long since given up hope of prying him out of his seclusion during the winter.

"MALLER" is satisfied that all of the new men whose services he regards as necessary to the success of the team will stay before the squad starts for Hot Springs. At the least, Dickson Wood and Hoffman, Cathers Thomas and other members of the substitutes and most of the new men have accepted their contracts. As the Red Sox president is confident that the outfield will come around in the spring, the only important news in this connection is that the pitcher, Ray Collins and Charley Hall, the pitchers, and Bill Carrigan and Lou Sunkane, the catchers.

O'BRIEN filed a report for the Boston American a month ago that he was on good terms with the manager and expected to sign up. Nothing is known concerning Hall's and Collins' intentions. Sunkane had differences with the manager and his home could not be reached. Carrigan's case is still the biggest mystery of all.

Every winter Carrigan demands more money and half still he received it. He has asked a further increase this year, but the manager has yet to come up with his demands. That is why there is no report of Carrigan's return.

"I NEVER saw Mike Kahl look so good," said Mike Kahl. "I met him at New York for the first time this winter. He was in great form and full of confidence. We had a hard time to drag him back this time, but he was the best one I ever saw. He was the best one I ever saw. He was the best one I ever saw."

HOTEL HOLLIS
Best in Wharfedale
BEST TABLE D'HOUE
DINNER IN TOWN
75c
With Wine \$1.25
Excellent Music—Best of Everything

"A NATIONAL INSTITUTION"
Browning, King & Co.
INC.
CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS AND HATS
FOR MEN, BOYS AND CHILDREN

BROKEN LOTS AND SIZES IN
Men's Winter
Overcoats and Suits
Former Prices \$25, \$22 and \$20
CLEAN-UP PRICES
\$12.50 and \$14.50
BROWNING, KING & CO., Inc.
407-409-411 Washington St., Boston

HEDLUND-KIVAT CLASH IN A RACE SATURDAY

By THOMAS J. HALPIN.
(Quoted Mile Champion of United States and Canada.)

The Haverly mile race will be held Saturday night in connection with the Columbia University athletic meet in New York. Hedlund and Kivat will be the main attraction. Hedlund is the favorite.

"I AM not sure that I will be with you when we leave for San Antonio, Tex., February 24," says Mack. "But I hope and expect to be with you. I will probably leave from San Antonio. I will be with you. I will be with you. I will be with you."

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**KETCHAM FAVORS
LONGER PERIODS**
NEW HAVEN, Feb. 15.—"You will agree practically the same football rules another year," said Captain Henry Ketcham, as he gave his opinion on the subject at the annual conference of the Yale football team.

EASY FOR GREEN.
HARTFORD, N. H., Feb. 14.—In a contest between the Green and the White, the Green won by a large margin.

OXFORD 3600
NEW GRAY TAXICAB
TOURING CAR or LIMOUSINE

Cicotte---She's One Darn Good Pitcher I Bet

News item--The signed contract of Lucien E. Cicotte, recent pitcher of the Boston Red Sox, has been received today by Boston National headquarters.

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Egg Diet Put Bodley, Star Penn Runner, Out of Meet Today

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 15.—John Bodley, University of Pennsylvania middle distance runner, is out of the meet in the department which submitted to a severe test in order to prove that he was not suffering from a cold.

"Bodley had to go for four days without eating. His water was the only nourishment. He was a good runner. He was a good runner. He was a good runner."

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LEAGUE BOWLING MATCHES TONIGHT

SUBURBAN--Bowling at Natick, Mass. at Everett, Chelsea at Andover, Prospect at Salem, East Boston at Cambridge.

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BILLY QUINN, HARVARD TRACK COACH, IS DEAD

William E. Quinn, trainer and head coach of Harvard, died at his home in Cambridge today. Quinn had been suffering for a long period of illness and nervous dyspepsia.

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HIRE DENTIST FOR NEW YORK GIANTS

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Manager McGraw of the New York National League club announced that he will take a dentist on the team's training trip to St. Louis.

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Luther M'Carthy to Clash with Wells in New York Ring

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—Luther M'Carthy, the place will be Madison Square Garden, New York, and the date will be March 15, on a day close to the opening of the season.

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STAR PLAYERS ENTER BILLIARD TOURNAMENT

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FAVOR HOCKEY AS A MAJOR SPORT

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SKATING BULLETIN

Franklin Field.....Excellent
Gibson.....Rough
Ashmont.....Rough
William Eustis.....Rough
Jamaica Pond.....Good
Bavin Hill.....Good
Charlesburg.....Excellent
First Street.....Good
Wood Island.....Good
Orient Heights.....Good
Charlestown.....Excellent
Roxbury.....Rough
Columbia Avenue.....Good
North Brighton.....Excellent
Charlestown Playground.....Good
Randolph Street.....Fair
Strawberry.....Fair
Commonwealth Park.....Fair
Neponset.....No Skating

HOLD DRAWINGS FOR CHESS TOURNEY

HAVANA, Feb. 14.—A meeting of the Chess Masters of Havana was held today to draw the names of the players for the Cuban chess tournament which opens tomorrow.

TO SO STATION LIQUOR BARGAINS

Sterne Bros. 40 STATION
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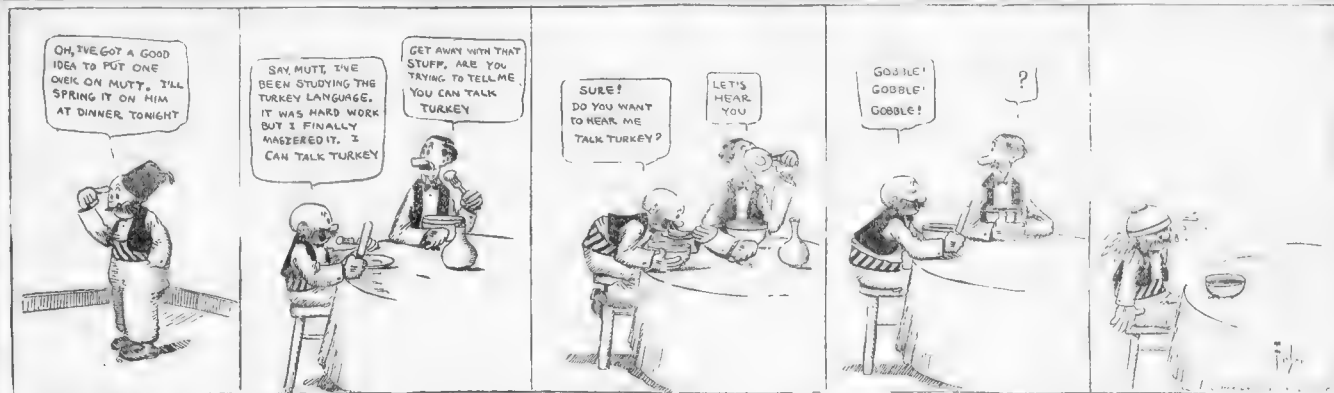
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Benjamin Suits Reduced
\$20-\$22 Benjamin Suits.....\$11.50
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Jeff Talked Turkey, but His Pronunciation Was Bad

By "Bud" Fisher



UNICORN SEVEN OUT TO DEFEAT THREE RIVERS

THE LINEUP.
Unicorn Seven: ...
Three Rivers: ...

Schoolboy Sevens in Three Hockey Games at Arena Tomorrow

The Sevens hockey team will play three games at the arena tomorrow. The first game is against the ...

Hockey Games, Dual Track Meets and Basketball on Schedule RECORD DAY IN SPORT FOR SCHOOLBOYS

SCHOOLBOY SPORT PROGRAM TODAY
HOCKEY
...
TRACK
...
BASKETBALL
...

25,000 People Attend Great Ice Carnival: Mayor Shows Speed

The Mayor showed great speed in organizing the Great Ice Carnival, which attracted 25,000 people today.

FINN CONFIDENT HE WILL DEFEAT QUEAL IN RACE

Finn is confident he will defeat Queal in the upcoming race.

DUFFY MAY PLACE CLUB IN MANCHESTER

Duffy may place his club in Manchester, N.H.

ICE BOAT RACES AT MEDFORD TOMORROW

Ice boat races will take place at Medford tomorrow.

PLAN 10-MILE RACE FOR FEBRUARY 22

A 10-mile race is planned for February 22.

BASKETBALL IN SHAPE. CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

The basketball team is in excellent shape for the championship.

FORMER CHAMPION ANXIOUS TO WIN HOLIDAY GO WOLGAST TRAINS FOR MURPHY

Wolgast is training for Murphy, a former champion.

GRIDIRON LEADERS TACKLE RULES

Gridiron leaders are tackling the rules.

PRINCETON SEVEN DUE HERE TODAY

The Princeton Seven are due here today.

PHILLIPS AND GRANT WIN TENNIS MATCHES

Phillips and Grant won their tennis matches.

Velvet
Keeps me happy!
10 TINS
The Smoothest Tobacco
Lipton's Super Tins

Hockey Results
At Hanover-Dartmouth, 12; Springfield V. M. C. A. 0.
At Milton-Arden, 5; Milton Academy, 0.
At Milton-Somerville, 5; Milton High, 0.
At Belmont-Boston, 5; Belmont High, 0.
At Lexington-Lexington High, 5; Boston College-Framingham, 5.
At Charlestown-Charlestown High, 1; East Boston High, 0.
At AC High-Salem High, 5; Stoughton High, 0.
At Hyde Park-Hyde Park High, 5; West Roxbury High, 0.
At Frank-9; Englewood High, 4.
At Chelsea High, 5.

HARVARD AND YALE FRESHMEN BATTLE ON ICE TODAY
The Harvard freshmen hockey team will play its last game of the season today.

B. C. FRESHIES LOSE.
The B. C. freshmen hockey team lost their last game today.

THORPE KOLEHMAINEN QUEAL
Thorpe, Kolehmainen, and Queal are the winners.

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UNDER THE
GAIETY THEATRE

Harvard Juniors Invite Wellesley Girls for Dance

It is important to note that the results of the present study are based on a sample of 1000 respondents, which is a relatively small sample size for a study of this type. The results may not be generalizable to the entire population of young adults in the United States. However, the sample was representative of the population in terms of age, gender, and ethnicity. The results of the present study suggest that young adults in the United States are more likely to be involved in a romantic relationship than young adults in other countries. This may be due to a number of factors, including the cultural emphasis on romantic relationships in the United States, the higher rates of divorce in the United States, and the higher rates of cohabitation in the United States. The results of the present study also suggest that young adults in the United States are more likely to be involved in a romantic relationship that is characterized by emotional intimacy and commitment than young adults in other countries. This may be due to the cultural emphasis on emotional intimacy and commitment in the United States. The results of the present study have several limitations. First, the study was cross-sectional, which means that it only provides a snapshot of the data at a single point in time. Second, the study was self-reported, which means that the data may be biased due to social desirability or other factors. Third, the study did not control for a number of factors that may influence the results, such as socioeconomic status, education, and personality. Despite these limitations, the results of the present study provide valuable insights into the romantic relationships of young adults in the United States.

Why Poor King Manuel Will Never Learn.

Commander Charles A. Swan, seventy-nine, of Post St. E. A. R. of Waterbury, Conn., was the first to be married. He was married to Miss Mary E. Swan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swan, of Waterbury, Conn., on the 1st of June, 1901. The couple first met when they were both students at the University of Connecticut.

**15TH ANNIVERSARY
OF MAINE SUNDAY**

The fifteenth anniversary of the destruction of the battleship Maine will be observed Sunday evening in Faneuil Hall, during the auspices of Boston Municipal Council, Department of Massachusetts, United Spanish War Veterans.

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Dauntless Durham of the U. S. A.

That Stupid Watkins Prevents Lord Havaglass from Winning a Thrilling Race for the Hand of Katrina, the Beautiful Waitress

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Polly and Her Pals

Preparing for the Spring Style

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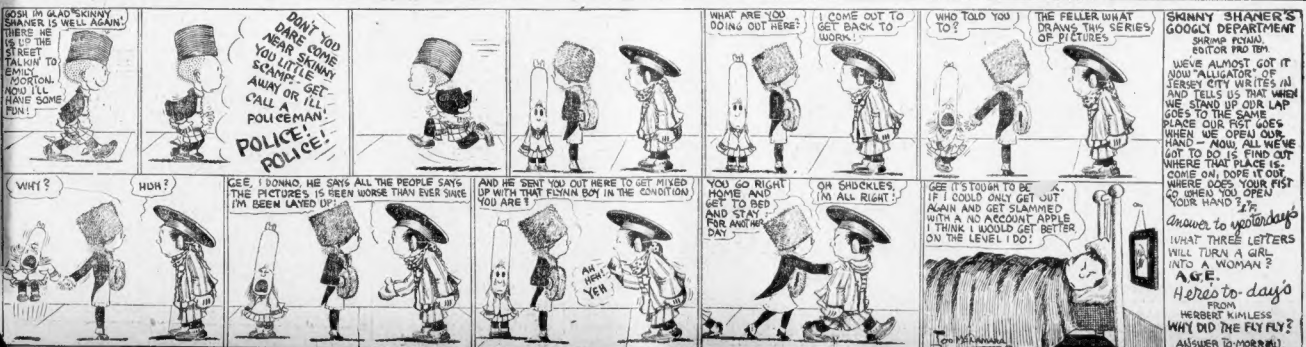


Us Boys

Emily Norton Is Worse Than a Doctor

Registered United States Patent Office

By Tom McNamara



DIRECTS ESCAPE OF 1500 DANCERS AT NEW FIRE

Paradise Island Hotel, N.Y., once famous as a rendezvous of the dancing world, has been the scene of a tragedy which has resulted in the escape of 1500 dancers. The fire broke out at 11:30 p.m. and the dancers, who were in the hall, were ordered to leave. The fire was caused by a gas lamp which had been overturned. The fire spread rapidly and the dancers were forced to jump from the windows. The fire was extinguished at 1:30 a.m. and the dancers were rescued. The fire was caused by a gas lamp which had been overturned. The fire spread rapidly and the dancers were forced to jump from the windows. The fire was extinguished at 1:30 a.m. and the dancers were rescued.

OPERAS STARS THIS MILLION AT BIG CONCERT

The regular season of the Tremont Theatre, which was brought to a close last night by a very brilliant concert, will be closed by a very brilliant concert. The concert was given by the Boston Opera Company and the Boston Symphony Orchestra. The concert was a great success and the audience was very large. The concert was given by the Boston Opera Company and the Boston Symphony Orchestra. The concert was a great success and the audience was very large.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKETS SOUTH AMERICA

Stocks were dull in Boston this morning. The market was quiet and there was no change in the prices of the various stocks. The market was quiet and there was no change in the prices of the various stocks. The market was quiet and there was no change in the prices of the various stocks. The market was quiet and there was no change in the prices of the various stocks.

IS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER THE TOUR

Announcement from South America of the visit of the Southern Republics to the visit of the Boston Chamber of Commerce delegation has been received. The delegation is expected to arrive in Boston on Friday. The delegation is expected to arrive in Boston on Friday. The delegation is expected to arrive in Boston on Friday.

IN 1840 Lincoln married Miss Mary Todd. She was a Kentuckian, and very much attached to her Southern kindred; it was said that "the battle line crossed the very hearthstone of the President's home." On one occasion when she had to open a grand ball in honor of the Union victory at Shiloh, one of her brothers lay dead on that battlefield, wearing the Confederate uniform.
—From "Lincoln's Life in Pictures"

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Authentic Photographs—20 Pages—Actual Size 14 1/2 x 11 1/2 Inches—Over 200 Illustrations
Descriptive data, covering every event of importance in the life of the great Emancipator.

Has Napoleon's Ghost Been Located at Last?

The oft-repeated story of the discovery of the remains of Napoleon Bonaparte in the island of St. Helena, has been confirmed. The remains were found in a cave on the island. The remains were found in a cave on the island. The remains were found in a cave on the island.

STOUGHTON TITANIC VICTIM HAD \$102,000

Stoughton, Mass., Feb. 14.—An inventory of the estate of George J. Stoughton, who died on the Titanic, has been made. The estate was valued at \$102,000. The estate was valued at \$102,000. The estate was valued at \$102,000.

CLEVELAND MAYOR COMING TO BOSTON

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 14.—Mayor F. A. B. B. B. is expected to visit Boston on Saturday. The mayor is expected to visit Boston on Saturday. The mayor is expected to visit Boston on Saturday.

Butter 36c Eggs 29c Flour 5.99 Teas 1.35

Coffee Prices Cut Golden Rice 1.27c

Golden Rice 1.27c

SCHOOL TEACHERS SCARCE IN ALBERTA

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 14.—School teachers have become so scarce in the Province of Alberta that the government has been compelled to offer a bonus to attract them. The government has been compelled to offer a bonus to attract them. The government has been compelled to offer a bonus to attract them.

RADCLIFFE SONG LEADER

Miss Agnes Radcliffe, who has been chosen as the song leader for the next session of the Radcliffe Club, has been announced. The song leader has been announced. The song leader has been announced.

HIGGINS ANNOUNCES HE WILL RUN AGAIN

Boston, Feb. 14.—Hon. John J. Higgins, who has been elected to the Senate, has announced that he will run for re-election. Higgins has announced that he will run for re-election. Higgins has announced that he will run for re-election.

Auto News

The American Automobile Association, which is holding the first Federal Convention for national highway work, is expected to meet in Boston. The convention is expected to meet in Boston. The convention is expected to meet in Boston.

GOING SOUTH?

Now is the time to secure useful advance information and instructive literature that will help in arranging your plans. Make your wants known to the Boston American Hotel and Travel Bureau. The Boston American Hotel and Travel Bureau. The Boston American Hotel and Travel Bureau.

Latent N. Y. Exchange

The latent New York exchange, which has been hidden for some time, has been discovered. The exchange has been discovered. The exchange has been discovered.

London Copper Opens Weak

London, Feb. 14.—Copper opened weak today. The price of copper was lower than yesterday. The price of copper was lower than yesterday. The price of copper was lower than yesterday.

January Cotton Statistics

The cotton market in January was very active. The price of cotton was higher than in December. The price of cotton was higher than in December. The price of cotton was higher than in December.

Financial News in Brief

The financial market was quiet today. There was no change in the prices of the various stocks. The market was quiet and there was no change in the prices of the various stocks.

BOSTON STOCKS

Following is the range of prices for the leading Boston stocks: Boston Elevated, High, Low, 11.15 to 11.10. The Boston Elevated, High, Low, 11.15 to 11.10.

UNION REFUSES TO PERMIT RAISE IN PRICE OF SHOES

BROCKTON, Feb. 14.—The Brockton Shoe Manufacturers Association has refused to permit a raise in the price of shoes. The association has refused to permit a raise in the price of shoes. The association has refused to permit a raise in the price of shoes.

TOO BAD HARVARD DROPPED GREEN, SAYS MAYOR AT SMOKER

Mayor Fitzgerald, who has been elected to the office of Mayor of Boston, has said that Harvard has dropped Green. The mayor has said that Harvard has dropped Green. The mayor has said that Harvard has dropped Green.

ARGUE TEACHERS' PENSION INCREASE MEASURE TONIGHT

The Legislative Committee on Education has argued the measure for a pension increase for teachers tonight. The committee has argued the measure for a pension increase for teachers tonight. The committee has argued the measure for a pension increase for teachers tonight.

FEAR FITCHBURG GIRL HAS ELOPED

Fitchburg, Feb. 14.—A girl has been reported to have eloped from Fitchburg. The girl has been reported to have eloped from Fitchburg. The girl has been reported to have eloped from Fitchburg.

BILL PROPOSES TO DIVIDE WARWICK

Providence, Feb. 14.—The Senate has proposed a bill to divide Warwick. The bill has been proposed. The bill has been proposed.

NEARLY MILLION FOR PROVIDENCE HARBOR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The Senate has approved a bill for nearly a million dollars for the improvement of Providence Harbor. The bill has been approved. The bill has been approved.

SYMPHONY HALL REPORT ISSUED

The directors of the new Boston Symphony Hall have issued a report on the progress of the work. The report has been issued. The report has been issued.

What Makes Unhappy Marriages?

Dr. William Le Howard, the well-known authority on marriage, has issued a report on the causes of unhappy marriages. The report has been issued. The report has been issued.

Last Chance to Get It!

Clip the Special Lincoln Coupon from next Sunday's AMERICAN and bring to American Promotion Department, 5 Winthrop Square, with 5 cents, and book will be given you without other expense. It sent for by mail, send 5 cents extra for postage and mailing tube.

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FR. T. B. O'Rourke DIES AT CAPITAL

Washington, Feb. 14.—The Rev. Fr. T. B. O'Rourke, a spiritual director of the National Holy Name Society and the Archdiocese Society, died at 82-1/2 years.

Next Sunday's American

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BOSTON AMERICAN Enough Is Enough ∴ By Tad

89 AND 91 SUMMER ST. BOSTON, FEBRUARY 14, 1913.

LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND,
DAILY AND SUNDAY

THE CASE OF KING—Does Massachusetts Intend to In- flict the Death Penalty for the Crime of Larceny?

The case of Cardenio F. King is so simple that the Council should not confuse it with immaterial trivialities.

King was tried and convicted of larceny. He was sentenced to serve a term of from ten to fourteen years. It is useless to say that he is dying; that he cannot possibly recover in prison; that he is suffering intense agony; that proper medical attention cannot be given to him in jail; that he has served four years of his term and in a measure he has paid the penalty.

The Council, therefore, is dealing with the question of whether the State of Massachusetts intends to inflict THE DEATH PENALTY FOR LARCENY. If King is released from prison and given proper medical attention, surrounded by his family, he may, in some degree, regain his health. To remain in prison, according to the medical experts, MEANS DEATH.

This newspaper does not believe in the wholesale liberation of men convicted of crime. INDISCRIMINATE PARDONS do not tend to uphold the law. There are no apologists for King, and no defenders of the acts which put him in jail. But there comes a time when a great State, representing a merciful people, is willing to extend mercy to a dying man. The city and State provide for extending MERCY TO DYING ANIMALS.

Is the State to be less generous to a dying man than to a suffering and dying animal? Law that is without mercy is no law at all. And while we believe the Council is actuated by the best of motives, it would seem that the time has come to act, in King's case.

We do not believe that the open-minded, merciful and generous-hearted people of Massachusetts intend to inflict the DEATH PENALTY FOR LARCENY.

Lieutenant-Governor Walsh proposes that King shall be PAROLED upon the condition that he shall engage in no business not approved by the State authorities. This is a wise plan.

LET KING OUT!

Such Plots as That Silly One to Keep Mr. Brandeis Out of the Wilson Cabinet Do Harm to the Democratic Party

Chairman Riley and National Committeeman Coughlin have both emphatically repudiated the foolish attempt to prevent President-elect Wilson, should he deem it wise, from inviting Mr. Louis D. Brandeis to become a member of his Cabinet.

Judge Riley and Dr. Coughlin are the titular heads of the Democratic organization of this Commonwealth, and so long as their position is sound, the folly of some other Democrats cannot be charged to the Democratic party.

Last week the AMERICAN made a suggestion that Governor Foss would be a good representative of New England in President Wilson's Cabinet.

But the AMERICAN did not intend that this suggestion should be tortured into a means of protesting against the possibility of Mr. Brandeis becoming a member of the President's Cabinet.

The AMERICAN, in common with every intelligent man in New England, appreciates the extraordinary ability and public services of Mr. Brandeis. His contribution to the election of Governor Wilson was of the greatest importance. His ability as a great lawyer and man of sound judgment would strengthen the Democratic Cabinet and would therefore strengthen the party. The opportunity to have the services of such a man ought to be considered fortunate.

The AMERICAN, however, is neither urging Mr. Brandeis upon Mr. Wilson nor defending him from the conspiracy which seems to be hatching in Wall Street and State Street and in the executive offices of the New Haven Railroad against him.

But the AMERICAN DOES WISH to disavow any complicity in the scheme to use the name of Governor Foss in order to deprive the country and the party of Mr. Brandeis' services if Mr. Wilson should feel that he needs them.

Governor Foss stands upon his own feet. He has his claims to consideration quite independent of Mr. Brandeis, and those who urge him as a stop gap to Mr. Brandeis do him no service but damn him with faint praise, because it is only too evident that they do not love Foss more but Brandeis less.

So far the developments of the plot against Mr. Brandeis are not very impressive and have failed utterly to injure the intended victim either in the public mind or in the mind of Governor Wilson.

BUT THESE PLOTS ARE HARMFUL TO THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

The people cannot help seeing through such conspiracies. They are as transparent as the tricks of a child. They tend to diminish the confidence of the people both in the sincerity and in the intelligence of Democratic leadership, whenever prominent Democrats participate in them.

The sound position of Chairman Riley and National Committeeman Coughlin and the refusal of Mayor Fitzgerald to have any part in this particular folly effectively relieves the Democratic party from all responsibility for it.



The Last Letter

By WINSOR MCAY.



By PERCY SHAW

With fingers numb, with glazing
eyes,
The hero penned his last fare-
well,
While riding swift the raging skies
Death mocked the blizzard's
eerie yell.

Beyond the whirl of biting snow
In one short flash his soul
called clear,
And rising in the vision's glow
Mother and boy smiled warm
and near.

"Oh, England, rich beyond com-
pare,
Protect our loved ones, then
we go
—Without a thought, without a
care,
—Knowing that God hath willed
it so."

A NOVEL WORTH READING—"The Man Who Came Back" is a great and fas-
cinating story of absorbing interest. Don't miss the first chapters in next Sun-
day's Boston AMERICAN.

Dorothy Dix's Article

—ON—
Matrimony—Man Should
Be Able to Support a
Wife in Her Accustomed
Ease Before She Prom-
ises to Love, Honor,
and Obey

By DOROTHY DIX

Do you think a young man should mention marriage to a girl before he is able to provide for a wife? Suppose a girl of nineteen, who has not finished school, receives an offer of marriage from a worthy young man of twenty-four whom she thinks she loves, but who has not the means of establishing a home or supporting a wife, what advice would you give her? I am asked to answer these two questions. Personally, I am strongly of the opinion that the game of love should be played according to the same ethical rules in other gambling games, and that a man should either put up—or shut up.

For his own sake, no less than that of the girl, the man who has no way of supporting a wife should keep out of matrimonial entanglements, both present and future. He has no more right to assume the obligations of love-making, without being able to make good for them, than he has to buy an automobile without having the money to pay for it. In either case he is getting goods under false pretences.

The long engagement is one of the most blighting and wearying, and wearing of all human experiences, and it nearly always turns out badly. It is a drag on a man's ambition, a fetter to his liberty, a continual expense that he generally can't afford.

If he and the girl live in the same community they rub the romance off of their love by jar and fret, and jealousies, and misunderstandings, because they are in an unnatural relationship where each claims the authority of a husband or wife over the other's conduct, without having the jurisdiction that matrimony gives.

If the man lives in a different city from his betrothed and sees her only occasionally, absence most favorably does its deadly work and stays love, and he goes about dragging the fetters of a long engagement, dreading the day when he must marry a woman of whom he is already tired.

For the girl the long engagement is even more disastrous. Her position is almost intolerable, because she has no official place in society. She is neither a maid, wife nor widow. She has the privilege of some of these estates and the drawbacks of them all.

She spends her time waiting, watching, hoping for a happiness that is always just without her reach.

Before asking a girl to marry him the man who lacks the price of a wedding ring should bear in mind that so far as a woman is concerned her youth is her capital, not only sentimentally but financially. It is the love time of life for her as it is for a man, but it is more. It is her marrying time.

A man may marry anywhere between the cradle and the grave, it doesn't make any difference with his prospects whether he is slim and lithe and with ambrosial curls, or hay windowed and bald headed.

But the ten years between twenty and thirty practically constitute a

girl's opportunity for making a good match. Her time is short, and she must make hay while the sun of her beauty shines. Therefore, if a woman is to have a husband and home of her own, she must secure them while she is young.

This puts it up to a man's honor not to selfishly blind a woman to his own fortune unless he has some ascertained way of repaying her for the sacrifices he asks of her and the risks he forces her to take.

It is, of course, a nice point of honor that a man may not be heroic enough to practice, but it's certainly the chivalrous thing for the man who isn't ready to ask a woman to name the wedding day to keep away sentiment and sentimental talk until he can afford the luxury.

As for a girl of nineteen engaging herself to a man who has not the means of establishing a home or supporting a wife, she is a silly goose to do it. She should say to such a young man, "If I am worth having, I am worth working for. Prove your love by the way you hustle, and when you have got enough money to furnish a nice little flat, and insure us bread and butter, come back and ask me again."

The real test of love is what we are willing to do for another, and no man can give better proof of his devotion to his lady love than the way in which he rolls up his sleeves and suits into his job for her sake. The luckless lover, lending a girl to an interminable engagement, while he sighs around because he can't make enough money to support her, is one matrimonial proposition.

The fellow who works overtime and who puts all of his strength into every punch, because every tick brings him that much nearer to his wedding day, who denies himself tobacco and beer to put the money into furniture for the little nest he is fixing up for the girl he loves, is another matrimonial proposition. And it doesn't take any female Solomon to see which one is the preferred risk.

It's a great pity that girls are taught that love is the only thing to be considered in marriage.

It isn't. A man's ability to support a family and to get along in the world has just as much to do with his wife's happiness as the state of his affection. There isn't much love talk going on in a house where the ever present reminder in how to cut the bills.

For three, and a million other reasons that every girl's father will point out to her, if she will listen to him, the maid will wait until a youth has shown that he has an ability to stand on his own feet and play the game off of his own hat before the ties her life to his. And she won't promise to marry him next month. In other words, she will bestir herself as a reward upon the vic-
tims, and hand herself over as a consolation prize to the future.

A DESIRABLE TRADE

By JAMES W. M'GEE

I'd like to belong to a trade
That is more or less idle in
Summer.
Not a hard-working job with a
spade,
But a good winter trade—say a
pumper.
There's the riveter working up
high.
I confess there's no life that is
But not yet being ready to die,
I'd be much more content as a
paver.

Would soon end my career as a
pailier
I have never been handy with
tools,
And the kind that a carpenter
uses
Are too risky for children and
fools
On account of the cuts and the
bruises.

There once was a possible way,
That I might have become a
mechanic,
And now that it's past I can say
My success would have come
from a pump.
Good people, don't think I am daft,
And, trades union, don't call
me a knave.
But were I the successor to TAD
I'd now be a Cabinet Maker.